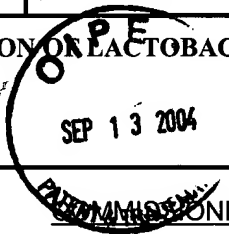
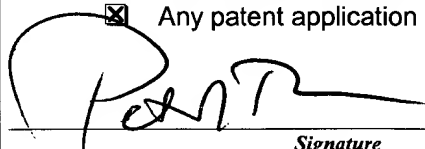
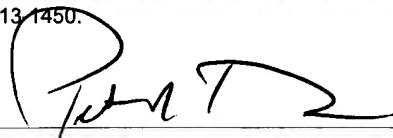
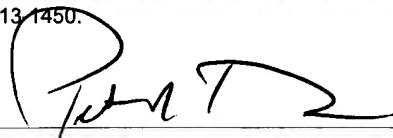
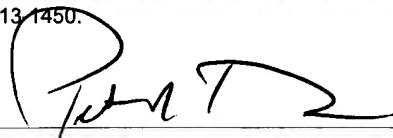


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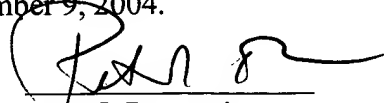
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In response to the Official Action dated June 28, 2004 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicants submit the following amendments for entry in the above-identified case.

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